

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

MICHELLE F. HARTLEY, STEVEN
TOMLINSON, individually and on behalf of
all others similarly situated, and MARIA
DEGENNERO,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

WELLS FARGO & COMPANY;
WACHOVIA SECURITIES FINANCIAL
HOLDINGS, LLC; and WELLS FARGO
ADVISORS, LLC, as successor in interest to
Wachovia Securities, LLC,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 14-cv-5169

**~~[PROPOSED]~~ ORDER GRANTING
FINAL APPROVAL OF SETTLEMENT**

1 Having considered the Stipulation Re: Settlement of Class Action ("Stipulation")
2 and all other materials properly before the Court and having conducted an inquiry pursuant to the
3 Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Rule 23, the Court finds that the Stipulation is fair and
4 reasonable, and it is approved, including the award of attorney fees and allowable litigation costs
5 and expenses in the amount of \$1,340,000.00. The Court will simultaneously, or the Clerk of the
6 Court shall, enter the Judgment provided in the Stipulation. Wells Fargo Advisors, LLC, itself or
7 through the Claims Administrator, shall deliver the payments to the Participating Claimants, the
8 Named Plaintiffs, and Class Counsel as provided for in the Stipulation.
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10 **PURSUANT TO STIPULATION, IT IS SO ORDERED.**
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13 DATED: _____

9/30/2017

/s/ (JMA)

The Honorable Joan M. Azrack
United States District Judge